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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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1652Applicant(s): Markus POMPEJUS *et al.*

Invention: CORYNEBACTERIUM GLUTAMICUM GENES ENCODING PROTEINS INVOLVED IN DNA REPLICATION, PROTEIN SYNTHESIS, AND PATHOGENESIS

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Synthesis and Pathogenesis

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated January 31, 2005 (Paper No. 1252005). A separate petition for the appropriate extension of time in which to respond is being filed concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper**

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper**

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